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The Honorable Peter DeFazio
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The Honorable Sam Graves
Ranking Member
Committee on Transportation and
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U.S. House of Representatives
1135 Longworth House Office Building
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Dear Chair DeFazio and Ranking Member Graves:

I am requesting funding for replacement of thousands of ADA ramps in the City of Chicago in surface transportation reauthorization legislation.

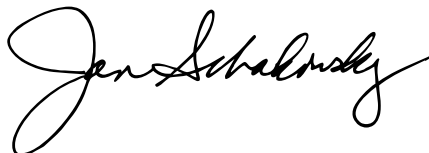
The project sponsor for this project is the City of Chicago and the project is located throughout the City, as approximately 120,000 ADA ramps do not meet national standards and require replacement.

The funding is designated for the replacement of these non-compliant ADA ramps, in addition to improving accessible pedestrian signals, bump-outs, bike lanes, and pedestrian refuge islands.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to improve pedestrian safety for individuals with disabilities and the rest of the public.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Jan Schakowsky
Member of Congress